

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 935

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Rachel Elizabeth West,
2010 Valedictorian of Scott High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Elizabeth West is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2010 graduating class at Scott High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. West has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Rachel West has earned an exemplary grade point average of 4.0 while participating in several extracurricular and civic activities, including the Beta Club, academic team, science club, math club, and First National Bank Junior Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her singular achievements in academics, Ms. West was named a National Merit Scholar Semi-Finalist; and

WHEREAS, a woman of faith, Rachel West is an active and devout member of Pine Creek United Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, Ms. West's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Randy and Donna West, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Rachel West's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2010 Scott High School Valedictorian, Rachel Elizabeth West, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.